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SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL MESSAGE ON MORO KIDNAPPING

REF: ROME 4902

1. EMBASSY SHOULD DELIVER IMMEDIATELY TO PRESIDENT LEONE
THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER:

QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT:

I WAS SHOCKED TO HEAR OF THE TERRORIST KIDNAPPING OF
ALDO MORO. I KNOW THAT MILLIONS OF AMERICANS JOIN ME
IN PRAYING FOR HIS QUICK AND SAFE RETURN. THIS OUTRAGE
DEEPLY AFFECTS ALL OF US. PLEASE CONVEY MY PERSONAL
SYMPATHIES TO THE MORO FAMILY AND TO THE FAMILIES OF
THE BRAVE MEN SLAIN IN THE LINE OF DUTY IN THIS SENSELESS
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TERRORIST ATTACK.

SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER. END QUOTE.

2. WHITE HOUSE PLANS RELEASE TEXT AT NOON BRIEFING.

3. DECONTROL UPON DELIVERY. VANCE

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